GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Skill Development and Training Department – Standardization, Monitoring and Implementation guidelines of Skill Components of various Departments – Orders – Issued.

SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING (SKILL) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 50 Dated: 19-05-2020

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ORDER:

Hon'ble Chief Minister on 25th October 2019, reviewed skill development activities with secretaries of various departments, and directed to standardize the skill training programs, their certifications besides empanelment of training partners to bring uniformity for effective implementation of skill programs.

2. Hon'ble C.M. also directed that skill components imparted by the State Govt. Departments, Corporations, Societies and Agencies shall be standardized and brought under one umbrella for close monitoring and accountability.

3. In continuation, Hon'ble Minister for Industries, I.T. and Skills Development & Training reviewed further with various departments imparting skill programs viz. Social welfare, Tribal Welfare, Municipal Administration etc. on 28th January, 2020. In the meeting, it was decided that SD&T Department shall frame the guidelines, protocols for Standardization and Monitoring to ensure that all the training programs are adhered to National Skill Qualifcation Framework (NSQF), Common Norms of Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSD&E) and other Govt. of India norms.

4. In the above context, the following instructions are issued to adapt and for implementation:-

1. Skill components imparted by various state Govt. Departments, Corporations, Societies and Agencies etc. shall be converged and standardized by APSSDC as per **the common norms** notified by GoI on 15th July 2015 and the subsequent amendments thereof. The common norms define uniformity and standardization in terms of skill development courses; input standards like overall training infrastructure, trainers, content, aadhaar linked enrolments, assessments; outcomes in terms of employment – wage employment / self employment; funding norms from mobilization to post placement tracking; support for boarding and lodging; third party assessment and certifcation costs; monitoring and tracking; advocacy and branding etc.

2. All the skill development programs shall adhere to **NSQF** for trainings across the state as per the GoI notifcation dated 27th Dec., 2013. NSQF is the competency-based framework that organizes all qualifcations (Courses) in levels 1 to 10; according to knowledge, skills and aptitude. It is a nationally integrated education and competency based skill framework. It provides for multiple pathways, horizontal as well as vertical, among vocational education, vocational training, general education and technical education, thus linking one level of learning to another higher level.

3. For courses where there is non-availability of Qualifcation Packs (QPs), like specific to the Tribal areas and self-employment related etc., approval shall be obtained from the committee constituted by APSSDC comprising of members from APSSDC, concerned industry and respective agency for seamless execution of the trainings. In the meanwhile, the same shall be forwarded by APSSDC to National Skill Development Agency (NSDA), GoI through concerned Sector Skill Councils (SSCs) for approval and incorporation into the National Qualifcations Register (NQR).

4. APSSDC shall standardize the skill development programs being implemented and to be implemented along with the regular academic curriculum in consultation with respective departments like Social Welfare, Tribal Welfare, Collegiate Education, Higher Education etc.

5. APSSDC shall standardize the Empanelment of Training Partners (TPs) / Assessors as stipulated by GoI. Respective departments shall avail the services of these empanelled TPs/ Assessors as required for implementation of skill development programs.

6. APSSDC shall develop a dedicated **Skill AP Portal** for seamless end to end integration of all trainings, assessments and certifications including monitoring, reporting and evaluation of all skill development programs in the State similar to that of the **Skill India Portal** of GoI.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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